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Agenda item #1

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD

June 21, 2007

MOTION

Made By: Mr. Davies Seconded By: Mr. Bowie Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously

<u>Title: Statewide Abandonments and Discontinuances and Transfers in the Primary and the Secondary System of State Highways</u>

WHEREAS, the projects listed below, by construction district, relocated segments of existing primary and secondary system roadways to new alignments, causing the segments identified to be

- (a) no longer necessary as public roads, since a new road serves the same citizens as the old,
- (b) no longer provide a public convenience that warrants maintenance at public expense, or
- (c) transferred to the secondary system of state highway as those segments no longer meet criteria to be part of the primary system of state highways; and

WHEREAS, the abandonment of a road extinguishes the road as a public way, eliminating the need for VDOT to maintain the segment described and enabling the conveyance of surplus right of way by the Board or the local government, according to the ownership of the underlying fee title; and

WHEREAS, secondary roadways that no longer provide sufficient public convenience to warrant maintenance at public expense may be discontinued by the Board, pursuant to §33.1-150, *Code of Virginia* 1950, as amended, causing such roads to remain public roads under the jurisdiction of the local road officials; and

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WHEREAS, when construction of a new road causes certain roadway segments to no longer meet the criteria to remain a part of the Primary System, those roads may be transferred to the secondary system of state highways maintained by the Department, pursuant to §33.1-35, *Code of Virginia* 1950, as amended;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the roadway segment identified below and depicted on the sketch for project 211-563A, is hereby ordered abandoned as part of the Primary System of State Highways, effective this date, pursuant to §33.1-148 of the *Code of Virginia*, 1950, as amended.

Primary System of State Highways

Abandonments

Culpeper District

Culpeper County

Project: 0003-023-V04, C-504

Route 3 – Segment B-C
Route 3 – Segment E-F
0.20 Mi.
0.21 Mi

Total Mileage Abandoned from the Primary System:

0.41 Mi.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the roadway segment identified below, as depicted on the accompanying project sketch, is hereby ordered transferred from the Primary System of State Highways to the secondary system of state highways, and renumbered; pursuant to §33.1-35, *Code of Virginia*, 1950, as amended.

Inter-System Transfers - Primary System to the secondary system of state highways,

Culpeper District

Culpeper County

Project: 0003-023-V04, C-504

• Route 3 – Segment C-E

0.80 Mi.

Total Mileage Transferred to the secondary system of state highways: 0.80 Mi

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the roadway segment identified below, as depicted on the accompanying project sketch, is hereby ordered discontinued as part of the secondary system of state highways maintained by the Department, pursuant to §33.1-150, *Code of Virginia*, 1950, as amended.

Secondary System of State Highways

Discontinuances

Northern Virginia District

Loudoun County

Project: 0267-053-102-101 Dulles Greenway

•	Route 643 – Section 2A	0.27 Mi.
•	Route 659 – Section 3 & 4	0.74 Mi.
•	Route 625 – Section 2	0.14 Mi.
•	Route 772 – Section 1	0.06 Mi.

Total Mileage Discontinued from the Secondary System: 1.21 Mi.

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